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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(New Nonprovisional Applications Under 37 CFR § 1.53(b))

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## TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is the patent application of ( ) application identifier or (X) first named inventor, Mourad Zarouri, entitled DEVICE AND METHOD FOR PREVENTING UPPER RESPIRATORY DISEASES AND FOR MODIFYING CERTAIN OCD BEHAVIORS, for a(n):

(X) Original Patent Application that claims priority on U.S. Provisional Application serial no. 60/446,901 filed on February 12, 2003.

( ) Continuing Application (prior application not abandoned):

( ) Continuation ( ) Divisional ( ) Continuation-in-part (CIP)

of prior application No: \_\_\_\_\_ Filed on: \_\_\_\_\_

( ) A statement claiming priority under 35 USC § 120 has been added to the specification.

Enclosed are:

(X) Specification; 19 Total Pages.

(X) Drawing(s); 2 Total Sheets.

(X) Oath or Declaration:

(X) A Newly Executed Declaration:

(X) Signed.

( ) Unsigned.

( ) Partially Signed.

( ) A Copy from a Prior Application for Continuation/Divisional (37 CFR § 1.63(d)).

( ) Incorporation by Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated herein by reference.

( ) Signed Statement Deleting Inventor(s) Named in the Prior Application. (37 CFR § 163(d)(2)).

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(X) A Check in the amount of \$815.00 for the Filing Fee.

( ) Preliminary Amendment.

(X) Applicant claims small entity status.

(X) Executed Assignment and Transmittal.

( ) A Certified Copy of Priority Documents (if foreign priority is claimed).

( ) Information Disclosure Statement Transmittal and Form PTO-1449 (modified).

( ) Other: \_\_\_\_\_

| CLAIMS AS FILED                           |           |           |         |           |
|---|-----------|-----------|---------|-----------|
| FOR                                       | NO. FILED | NO. EXTRA | RATE    | FEE       |
| Total Claims                              | 49        | 29        | \$9.00  | \$ 261.00 |
| Independent Claims                        | 6         | 3         | \$43.00 | \$ 129.00 |
| Multiple Dependent Claims (if applicable) |           |           |         |           |
| Assignment Recording Fee                  |           |           |         | 40.00     |
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| Total Filing Fee                          |           |           |         | \$815.00  |

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